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January 5, 1938

Dr. Stewart M. Robinson
THE PRESBYTERIAN
1217 Market Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Dear Dr. Robinson:

I have given careful consideration to your request of December 27th for suggestions as to "representative Presbyterian Churches", the pictures of which you might secure to present upon the cover of "The Presbyterian".

It is very difficult indeed amid so much richness to make suitable selections. I am, however, offering a few.

Among the many definitely rural churches which I have from time to time visited, may I suggest the following:

Deer Creek Harmony Church, Maryland - the Rev. Edwin L. Shelling, Darlington, Maryland

The Middle Octorara Church, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, the Rev. George Shea, Quarryville, R.R.1.

The Neshaminy Warwick Church - the Rev. Ernest vanden Bosch, Hartsville, Pennsylvania

As to village churches, I would suggest:

The Musconetcong Valley Presbyterian Church - the Rev. J. A. H. McLean, Hampton, New Jersey

The First Presbyterian Church, Bel Air, Maryland - the Rev. E. Glenn Switzer.

The Sparta, New Jersey, Presbyterian Church - the Rev. Frederick P. Mudge.

I am taking this opportunity to enclose also the word of greeting which you have asked for to use in connection with the

entrance of "The Presbyterian" on its 108th year.

With kindest regards and assuring you of my eagerness to be of all possible assistance to you at all times

Yours sincerely,

Lewis S. Mudge
Stated Clerk

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LSM/t

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January 20, 1938

Rev. Stewart M. Robinson, D.D.
23 Kempshal Place
Elizabeth, New Jersey

My dear Dr. Robinson:

Acting upon the basis of authorization given to the Department of Church Cooperation and Union to appoint, ad interim, members of the American (Western) Section of the World Alliance of Reformed Churches holding the Presbyterian System, the Department has appointed you a member of said American Section, effective until the next meeting of the General Assembly and, if confirmed by the next General Assembly, until further action by the Assembly or the Department.

The next meeting of the American Section will be held at Princeton, New Jersey, on Thursday and Friday, February 23-24, 1938, in the Miller Chapel of the Seminary. The expenses of delegates, including transportation and entertainment at the place of meeting, are met from the treasury of the American Section.

You will receive in due time all the necessary information as to local entertainment and program from the American Secretary of the Alliance, the Rev. Dr. William B. Pugh, Providence Road, Wallingford, Pennsylvania, to whom your inquiries relating to the American Section and its meetings should be addressed.

With kindest personal regards and the earnest hope that you will find it possible to accept this appointment and share in the work of an organization which in these days is steadily growing in importance and influence, believe me

Yours sincerely,

Lewis S. Mudge
Stated Clerk

LSM/t

May 16, 1938

Rev. Lewis S. Mudge, D. D.,
Secretary, General Council of the
Presbyterian Church in the U.S.S.
Witherspoon Building,
Philadelphia, Penna.

Dear Doctor Mudge:

This is a petition on behalf of Dr. Stewart N. Robinson, Editor of The Presbyterian, and myself.

We would greatly appreciate the privilege of being granted a few minutes to present a matter to the General Council which we believe will be of interest to the Council and of value to the Church.

I understand that the Council will meet on Tuesday evening, May 24. If it is not inconvenient and can be arranged without embarrassment, it would be a great advantage to me and probably to Dr. Robinson, since he lives out of the city, if this appointment, in case our request is granted, could be made for an early hour.

Sincerely yours,

JAMacC/g

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Jan. 5. 1938

Dear Dr. Robinson,

We have your letter of January 3rd. For permission to print Andrew Murray's THE PRAYER LIFE by installments in weekly issues of "The Presbyterian", please write direct to Harper & Bros., 49 E. 33rd St., New York, N. Y.

Sincerely yours,

C. A. Pollard

P/b

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Rev. Dr. Stewart M. Robinson
THE PRESBYTERIAN
1217 Market St.
Philadelphia, Pa.

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January 6, 1938

Mr. Stewart M. Robinson
28 Kempshall Place
Elizabeth, New Jersey

Dear Mr. Robinson:

We have no record of receiving any previous letter in regard to serializing "The Path of the King". The serial rights, as a matter of fact, are in the hands of Buchan's English agent, A. P. Watt & Son, Hastings House, 10 Norfolk Street Strand, London, W.C.2, and I am afraid it will be necessary for you to communicate with them.

I am enclosing an advance copy of our new list. Won't you let me know what books you would like to receive for review, or else pass this on to your Literary Editor?

With kind regards and best wishes for the New Year,

Sincerely,

Dale Warren

Dale Warren
Publicity -

DW:L

Davidson College
Davidson, N. C.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

January 6, 1938.

Rev. Stewart M. Robinson, D. D.,
23 Kempshall Place,
Elizabeth, N. J.

My dear Dr. Robinson:

I appreciate very much your invitation to write an article for THE PRESBYTERIAN on "The Union of the Presbyterian Churches." That is a subject that appeals to me very much. By the way, I may say that I have just received a copy of Dr. Anderson's article and it makes good reading.

I hesitate to undertake to write the article for two reasons. First of all, I have just a little more than I can do ahead of me for the next two months. My regular routine work keeps my hands pretty full. In addition to that, I have promised to make several addresses which are going to require an unusual amount of preparation. So it is difficult for me to see how I am going to find the time to write an additional article.

But there is another reason that causes me to hesitate more than that. I do not think that there is any strong probability of the Presbyterian Church, U.S., voting for a Presbyterian Union at any time in the near future. In fact I do not believe that we are as near to a union right now as we were twenty years ago. That may sound rather pessimistic.

There is no sectional or personal antagonism toward the Presbyterian Church U.S.A., but we have a rather considerable group of extremists who are either dispensationalists, or strong pre-millenialists, who believe there is a great deal of liberalism and modernism in the Presbyterian Church, U.S.A. Not only so, but the rather intensive propaganda carried on by

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the Presbyterian Church in America - I mean that new Church - insisting that the Presbyterian Church, U.S.A. is shot through and through with modernism has made quite a dent on a good many level-headed conservative men in our Church.

I am speaking very frankly and not for publication at this time. I think that you can see how these two reasons would make me hesitate to undertake to write an article. The thought has occurred to me that I might write an article setting forth the reasons why there should be such a union, and then naming the different obstacles that seem to be in the way of union and which must first be removed.

I have never urgently advocated church union. I have always felt that we must first come to a unity of faith and hope and love, and that after that union would practically take care of itself. So, as I have had opportunity I have endeavored to help create that spirit of unity of faith and hope and love which I believe must precede any really worthwhile union.

Now I have stated frankly how the matter looks to me. If I can command the time I might undertake an article along the lines suggested above if you think such an article would be worthwhile.

I am only a contributing editor to the Christian Observer and have no sort of connection with its editorial or financial policies. That being true, I have nothing to do with determining what articles may or may not be printed in the Observer. Therefore, I cannot say whether the Observer would be willing to print Dr. Anderson's article, or an article from me on he same subject. I have especially directed the Christian Observer to reject any article of mine that does not appeal to the editors. So far, they have rejected only one, but that is an indication that they are willing to take me at my word which I certainly wanted them to do. I would be willing to recommend Dr. Anderson's article to the Observer.

Davidson College
Davidson, N. C.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

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I do not subscribe to The Presbyterian but I see it every week, as our College Library is right next door to my home and I have access to all periodicals in the Library. It strikes me that you are publishing a mighty good paper. Tell it not in Gath, or publish it on the streets of Askalon, but I like it better than I did a few years ago.

With high esteem and hearty good wishes, I am

Very cordially yours,

Walter L. Lingle

Walter L. Lingle.

A. MARSHALL THOMPSON
ATTORNEY AT LAW
COMMONWEALTH BUILDING
PITTSBURGH, PA.

January 8, 1938

Rev. Stewart M. Robinson, D.D.
Editor of the Presbyterian
1217 Market Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Dear Doctor Robinson:

I thank you very much for your letter congratulating me on my election. I have just finished the first week in this new position and have been kept pretty busy.

I will be in Pittsburgh on January 13th but will probably be kept busy in court until 3:30 in the afternoon on that day and then have to attend a meeting at 4 o'clock at the office of one of the other Judges, so that it may be about 4:30 before I will be free.

I am very glad that you are coming out here because I agree with you that efforts should be made at this time.

Sincerely,

A. Marshall Thompson

T/H

JAMES QUARLES
SOUTHERN BUILDING
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Saturday Afternoon
January 8, 1938.

Dear Dr. Robinson:

I have read and re-read, and shall preserve for future reference, your very excellent article, "Autonomous Neutralization". There is nothing "immature" about it. On the contrary, it bears all the marks of being the product of an able and well-trained mind. Your style is singularly clean and polished.

My own knowledge of international law extends very little, if any, beyond a few elementaries learned at the law school. I have done no work in that field, though I would like to have done so, since it is an extremely interesting one.

However, in the light of what has happened in recent years international law seems to have broken down completely, at least temporarily and insofar as the inviolability of treaties is concerned. Belgium, Manchuria, Ethiopia and now northern China appear as ghastly exhibits attesting the fact. "The recalcitrant state must feel the weight of the world's hand at its throat". You are right, and would that it had in the case of Japan and Manchuria! If so, I do not believe that that outrage would have been consummated or that the perpetration of the other two would have been even attempted.

My article on sovereignty was suggested by reading an opinion by Justice Stone, of the Supreme Court, in one of the Gold Clause cases. His idea of sovereignty, as expressed in that opinion, struck me as being obviously and fundamentally erroneous and I undertook an investigation of the literature on the subject. To my surprise, I was unable to find anything which dealt in an analytical or very philosophical way with the concept itself as distin-

guished from the rights and obligations of sovereignty. I was obliged, therefore, to work it out myself, in large measure. At the risk of overburdening a very busy man, I am enclosing a reprint of the article. As I have only two or three copies left, I will ask that you kindly return it at your convenience. No hurry. You will see that I do not treat of sovereignty as it figures in international relations specifically. However, the inherent elements of the concept are, of course, of universal application.

I am sure you would have scored final success as a specialist in international law, but you chose the highest of all vocations when you went into the ministry. I am hoping to have the pleasure of meeting you in person before long.

Sincerely and cordially,

James Brooks

Rev. Dr. Stewart McPherson,
Philadelphia.

C. ELLSWORTH PARKER
ROOM 335 OLIVER BUILDING
PITTSBURGH, PENNA.

January 8, 1938

Dear Dr. Robinson,-

Your letter of January 6th has just been received. I do not know what Dr. Ale xander had in mind when he suggested my name to you. (Mr. Gibson is not responsible and can make statements without much knowledge or information). Dr. Alexander has not mentioned the matter to me.

I am interested in your work and The Presbyterian, but as my time is fully taken up in the duties of looking after an estate I would not have time to act as a "canvasser" nor would I at present. I am not connected with the First Presbyterian Church, other than a member, nor do I know the membership as was the case a number years ago, when a lay-associate to Dr. Maitland Alexander. However if you will be specific in your request, or suggestion, and I find that it will be possible for me to of some helpfulness, I will try to be of helpfulness. I do not know of any one who would be willing to help underwrite the expense of your Paper.

The Church needs The Presbyterian. For many years we have subscribed for both the Banner and Presbyterian, and since my subscription to the Banner has not expired, the "Pagent," is received. But, it does not make an appeal, and at present, I have no intention of subscribing for it. I just renewed my subscription to The Presbyterian.

It appears to me, there are a few elders, members of our session, who are out of work, and they might be encouraged by a little work. Mr. Gibson should know who they are; that is if it is a soliciting program you have in mind. I would not like to interfere with my present work, by taking on any thing active.

Sincerely,

C. Ellsworth Parker

Rev. Stewart M. Robinson, D. D.
Elizabeth, N. J.

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Rev. Dr. Stewart M. Robinson
The Presbyterian
1217 Market Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Dear Dr. Robinson:

We are returning herewith the permission form covering your application to quote from our publications.

On the lower half of the form we have filled in the necessary credit line to be printed by you in connection with the extract.

If you agree to the conditions, please sign the permission form at the bottom of the first page and return it to us. Upon receiving this form from you, we shall send you a duplicate with the signature of our representative.

Please bear in mind, however, that until you receive this signed form from us, you have no authorization to make use of this material.

Sincerely yours,

Margaret Kane

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The Synod of Ohio

Of the Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A.

OFFICE OF
THE MODERATOR

STATED CLERK
E. W. LODWICK,
CUMBERLAND, OHIO

January 13th, 1938.

The Rev. Stewart M. Robinson, D.D.
Philadelphia, Penna.

Dear Doctor Robinson:

Thank you for your kind letter of recent date relative to book reviews.

In order to let you see my thoughts and desires in this matter I am noting down certain personal details which may help toward thatend. My ministry has been, and will almost certainly continue to be, to small congregation. It has been a real joy and I hope a somewhat profitable ministry. But along with such a ministry it has been my desire and fond hope that I might do something of a permanent nature which might continue on even long after I am gone.

With this end in mind I have carried thru so far a plan. With usual college and Seminary training (graduate of Lane in '15) I did certain work in graduate field and taught for a while. Then I did work in the Pittsburg-Xenia Seminary in field of Fourth Gospel and in Christology for the Th.M. which I got in 1929. Then two years, commuting weekly, at Southern Baptist Seminary under Dr A.T.Robinson in New Testament field. Ph.D. from there in 1933.

Sinc 1933 I have devoted a lot of time to the field of Psychology and Philosophy of Religion. This as a background for writing in the field of New Testament. It is almost impossible for a new man to break into publication without a great school following to make use of the books. So I am making a try at a prize offered under the Bros Foundation and manuscript must be submitted by Sept 1st 1939. Past two years of study have been aimed directly at this.

My plan of study involves survey of practically every important book in fields of Psychology and Philosophy of Religion sinc 1900. And as many of the real helps to New Testament interpretation bearing on my subject as I can get at. So I thought that maybe I might get at some books not otherwise available to me by way of review writing. That would help me in mastery of content and might be of service to your paper too. I have a very fine library of my own but cost is prohibitive in matter of getting every book I need to have. Two books which I want very much now are: First Chapters of Religious Philosophy, by Ferm.; and Normative Psychology of Religion by Wieman and Wieman. I will appreciate any help along line suggested which you may be able to give and I will do my best to write good reviews. I believe I may claim to be thoroughly evangelical in my beliefs and thought.

I hope this may not seem a very self-centered letter, but I thought the explanation might help you to help me somewhat. With every good wish,

Respectfully yours,
Vernon P. Martin

REID S. DICKSON, D. D.
GENERAL SECRETARY

A. H. BURNETT
TREASURER

The Board of Pensions
OF THE
Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A.

Witherspoon Building

OFFICE OF THE
GENERAL SECRETARY

Philadelphia, Pa.

January thirteenth,
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Rev. Stewart M. Robinson, D.D.,
The Presbyterian,
1217 Market St.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Stewart:

I am enclosing the weekly material for use in the Presbyterian and want to call your attention to an inaccuracy in your statement about budget receipts in your last issue.

You stated that the Board of Pensions was the only Board that did not show an increase except in gifts from living givers. The facts are all to the contrary. We are away behind on our gifts from living givers but well ahead on gifts from the churches. I wonder where you secured the information which you published in your last issue?

With best wishes, as always,

Reid

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AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY

Washington, D. C.
Jan. 14, 1938.

Dr. Stewart M. Robinson,
Editor, The Presbyterian,
1217 Market Street,
Philadelphia, Penna.

Dear Dr. Robinson:--

I have not forgotten your request for an article dealing with my Marriage and Divorce proposal. Unfortunately I am terribly pressed for time by reason of the fact that I am serving on the Conference Committee which is trying to draft a compromise farm bill. This has made it impossible for me to prepare you a special article. However, I am enclosing copy of a statement recently made by me which covers the subject fully. This has been printed only in a local paper in Kansas. It would be all right with me if you care to use this material as a signed article from me for your magazine. If it is too long, you can cut out any part that you think can be omitted or rewrite in any way you like just so you do not make any material change in the nature of my statement.

Sincerely yours,

Arthur Capper

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COMMITTEE ON
AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY

Washington, D. C.
Jan. 19, 1938

Dr. Stewart M. Robinson,
The Presbyterian,
1217 Market Street,
Philadelphia, Penna.

Dear Dr. Robinson:--

I thank you for your letter of January 18th. I am glad you can make use of my remarks on the Marriage and Divorce amendment. If it will not put you to any trouble, I will be glad to have you send a few reprints of the article after it is in type. I can make good use of this material in the Senate.

Sincerely yours,

Arthur Capper

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REV. WILLIAM BARROW PUGH, D.D.
AMERICAN SECRETARY

ADDRESS: PROVIDENCE ROAD
WALLINGFORD, PA.

January 21, 1938

TO MEMBERS-ELECT OF THE AMERICAN (WESTERN) SECTION.

Dear Friends:

Information has just reached me that you have been appointed by your denomination a delegate to the American (Western) Section of the Alliance of the Reformed Churches throughout the World holding the Presbyterian System. The next meeting of the Section will be held in Miller Chapel, Princeton Seminary, Princeton, N.J., Thursday and Friday, February 23-24, 1938.

I sincerely hope you may be present. Full details concerning the program of the meeting will be sent you within the next few days.

Travelling and hospitality expenses of all delegates are paid out of the Treasury of the Western Section.

Fraternally yours,

Wm B Pugh

WILLIAM BARROW PUGH
Secretary

January 21,1938

My dear Vanderbergh:-

For the first I suggest you send copy to me and I enclose envelopes.

You might plan to mail it to me on Tuesday night. That will give me a day to forward it to Phila.

It was a pleasure to meet you and your friends.

Thank you for taking me to the station. Your clock was very beguiling and shows a hospitable disposition.

Yours sincerely,

Mr.Ernest D.Vanderbergh,jr.

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January 18th, 1938

The Rev. Stewart M. Robinson, D.D.
THE PRESBYTERIAN
1217 Market Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Dear Dr. Robinson:

Thank you for your letter of January 15th. I feel that you are offering a very fine and interesting opportunity to one of our students. I have secured for you Mr. Ernest D. Vanderburgh, Jr., of Swannanoa, North Carolina. He is a graduate of the University of North Carolina and is a Junior in the Seminary this year. He is very much interested in culling information for your box, One Hundred Years Ago. I told him that you would communicate with him directly. His room number is 103 Alexander Hall.

We did so much enjoy our visit with you in your home and being present at the pre-communion service. Your wonderful family made a deep impression on us.

Best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

E. H. Roberts

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January 21,1938

My dear Brother:-

Thank you for your letter. I believe last year you were in South Dakota. I can get the book you mention, and you need not trouble to re-write the chapter. Oddly enough R.D.Dickinson of London now no longer publish books but simply deal in them mostly second hand ones. You see their adv. from time to time in the paper.

Now about Bismark Presbytery and the paper. I very much want to see the paper in action in all kinds of presbyteries large and small, east and west.

A friend of the paper makes it possible for me to offer you twenty subscriptions free to go for a year. The only conditions are (1) that you will send me the names of a score of pastors and families in the presbytery, (2) and then say once in four months drop me a letter (oftener if you desire) telling me about how much, if any, the paper helps the spiritual life of the homes where it goes, any constructive suggestions you may have as to contents in the light of comments people make, or needs you see.

Please send the names to me personally.

We want THE PRESBYTERIAN to be of the greatest possible service to our Lord and to His Church. We are enlarging it and adding new features which we hope will make even more helpful. One thing, we always seek to do, and that is stress the great blood bought truths of the Faith, and trust in God.

It is wonderful to relate how He leads.

With every good wish and the prayer for blessings on your ministry, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Mr. H.M.Gulson

"Presbyterian"

GLENCOE-STEWARTSDALE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
H. M. GULSON, MINISTER
STAR R. 1
BISMARCK, NORTH DAKOTA

~~N. D.~~

I have just finished reading a book "Lectures on Preaching" Delivered to the Students of Yale College in 1879. by Rev. Matthew Simpson. D. D. Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church New York.

This book was published in London by Richard D. Dickinson, Farringdon St.

The last Chap. in this Vol. Ch. 10.: "Is the modern pulpit a failure?" impressed me to such an extent that I would like to see its published. I think its has a real message for preachers to day. It is absolutely Sound and Scriptural.

The Chap. mentioned would require about an hour to read if read thoughtfully.

If you would print it in the Presbyterian I would have a typewritten copy made and send it to you for publication.

Should you be in possession of the above lecture book you can better judge ~~pa~~ to its worth.

Sincerely.

H. M. Gulson

No. E 859

Victoria Institute;

OR,

PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN,

1, CENTRAL BUILDINGS, WESTMINSTER, S.W. 1.

Jan 21st 1938

Received of Rev. Stewart M. Robinson ...the sum of *One Guinea, being the Annual Subscription as an* ASSOCIATE, *from 1st January to 31st December,* 1938

L. L. Hackston-Ellis
Assistant Secretary
with thanks.

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This Receipt is valid for One Year's Subscription only.

SUBSCRIPTIONS.

The FINANCE COMMITTEE specially asks for the early payment of All Subscriptions ; by the rules these are due on the 1st of January (or on Election) ; they may be paid in the following ways (in the first—which the Committee would gladly see even more generally adopted than it is—any risk in sending money by post is wholly avoided) :—

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February 10th 1938

The Rev.Stewart M.Robinson,M.A.,D.D.,

Dear Sir,

I am extremely sorry that your receipt as an Associate of this Society was inadvertently mislaid when sending your nomination form. You will remember you very kindly made it out for $ix dollars, but as all Associates forms are made out for £1.1.0. I hope you will realise why we were not able to make the receipt out for $6. We are also not quite sure, until the cheque is cleared, what the amount actually is.

I must add that we are delighted that you have joined the Victoria Institute.

Yours very truly,

L. L. Malcolm-Ellis

LONDON, January 24th 1938

Sir,

I have the pleasure to inform you, with reference to your recent application, that you have been duly elected an Associate *of*

THE VICTORIA INSTITUTE,

OR

PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN.

I have the honour to be,

Sir

Your faithful Servant,

T. C. Skinner Colonel.

Hon. Secretary.

To The Rev. Stewart M. Robinson, M.A., D.D.,

23 Kempshall Place, Elizabeth, N.J.

U.S.A.

REV. WILLIAM BARROW PUGH, D.D.
AMERICAN SECRETARY

ADDRESS: PROVIDENCE ROAD
WALLINGFORD, PA.

January 28, 1938

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE WESTERN SECTION.

The Western (American) Section of the Alliance of Reformed Chur ches throughout the World holding the Presbyterian System will meet in the Miller Chapel of Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, New Jersey, on Wednesday, February 23rd, 1938 at 11 o'clock in the morning, continuing its sessions through the afternoon of the following day, February 24th, 1938.

An interesting program has been aranged including a series of addresses upon the Ecumenical Movement in its relationship to our own Presbyterian Family of Churches. Among the speakers are the Rev. George W. Richards, D.D., the Rev. Otto Piper, D.D., the Rev. George C. Pidgeon, D.D., the Rev. John A. Mackay, D.D., the Rev. J. Ross Stevenson, D.D., the Rev. A. B. Warnshuis, D.D., and the Rev. Walter L. Lingle, D.D. Further details with references to this program will be sent to each member a few days prior to the meeting.

Accomodations for the delegates to the Western Section have been secured at The Princeton Inn. This is a delightful place but unfortunately cannot accomodate our entire delegation unless a few of the delegates will agree to occupy a double room with some other delgate. These double rooms are all furnished with twin beds. If you can do this, will you notify the management accordingly, specifying the one with whom you desire to share a room. All requests for reservations should be sent directly to The Princeton Inn, J. Howard Slocum, Manager, Princeton, N.J.

It is earnestly hoped that you will make every effort to be present at this important meeting of the Western Section. As indicated in a previous announcement, travelling and entertainment expenses are paid from the treasury of the Section.

Fraternally yours,

WILLIAM BARROW PUGH

American Secretary.

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2889 San Pasqual St.,
Pasadena, California.
January 31, 1938.

Dear Presbyterian,

Am greatly pleased to hear the good news of the enlargement of your pages.

Some little time ago I sent you a small manuscript for a not too long an article on the "Brodeesti". It is surely a timely, and also an important subject. I hope that now you will have space for it in one of your near future issues.

I also sent an addressed envelope, with stamps on it, for the return of the manuscript, if you were not going to print it.

I think the article was headed—
"Who is He?"

Yours with best wishes. Your old time subscriber

(Rev.) T. J. Hedges

I do not have this. Have you?

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Dear Sirs:

Enclosed find cheque for the renewal of my subscription to "The Presbyterian" for another year.

I have been a continuous subscriber for about 30 years, beginning with "The Herald & Presbyter." I have thoroughly enjoyed receiving it and reading its contents. I believe that it is a much improved church weekly, and under your management trust that it will continue to still further uphold the tenets of our faith. It is now the only weekly paper in the church, and would be much more successful if supported better by those who are perfectly able to do so, but would rather appear in "Pageant", which does not seem necessary.

If less time and money was expended on the tons of pamphlets etc., which largely find their way to the waste paper basket, and a greater concentration of talents in consecrated prayer and trust in the Holy Spirit to do what leaflets can never do, the revival which we all long for would be upon us. It is time that a chance was given to God to run His Church.

Thank you for your faithfulness in sending the paper, and praying that it may long continue, and that you will be further blessed and prospered, I am,

Yours sincerely

W H Christian

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